

Senate Resolution 1181

By: Senator Harbison of the 15th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Mrs. Carrie Wiggins-Ford; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Mrs. Carrie Wiggins-Ford was born on February 11, 1908, and this year she
3 enjoys the distinction of celebrating her 100th birthday; and

4 WHEREAS, the devotion, patience, and understanding she has demonstrated have provided
5 the foundation and framework of success in which all of her family members have developed
6 and flourished, especially her niece, Hettie Lane, who she raised and with whom she now
7 resides; and

8 WHEREAS, she is a woman of deep and abiding faith who was saved on July 4, 1934, and
9 has been a long-time member of Bethlehem Baptist Church of Phenix City, Alabama, where
10 she serves on the usher board; and

11 WHEREAS, this distinguished gentlewoman has given inspiration to many through her high
12 ideals, morals, and deep concern for her fellow citizens; and she possesses the vast wisdom
13 which only comes through experience and the strength of character which is achieved
14 through overcoming the many challenges of life; and

15 WHEREAS, she is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for
16 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness and by the example she has made of her life,
17 she makes this world a better place in which to live, and it is only fitting and proper that she
18 be appropriately recognized during this very special and memorable time of her life.

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that this body heartily
20 commends Mrs. Carrie Wiggins-Ford for her efficient, effective, unselfish, dedicated, and
21 loving service to the members of her family and the citizens of her community and state;
22 congratulates her on the delightful occasion of her 100th birthday; and extends to her its most
23 sincere best wishes for continued health and happiness.

- 1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 2 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mrs. Carrie Wiggins-Ford.